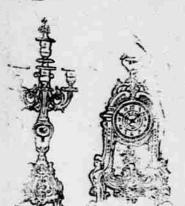
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CITY ITEMS.

TIS most amusing reading to pender a little and study the advertisements of the clothing stores of this city, and to read their ads week in and week out, you will find every last one of them is selling his dearly lought goods always at least 50 percent below cost!! How in such circumstances they can pay for their ads, their help, their rent, the bosses' own board, etc., it would take a Philadelphia lawyer to find out!! People who are beginning to think, and to have the scales fall from their eyes, are finding out that a straight store, such as CRAWFORD'S, keeps a much superior line of goods to any of them, and that their regular prices for them are always much below toot prices!!

HUMANE SOCIETY ORGANIZED. Carthage Women Will Protect

Children and Animals. SPUBLIC SPECIAL, Carthage, Mo., Jan. 22.—Prominent women of this city have perfected an organization of a humane society for the protection of animals and children.

An enthusiastic meeting was held in the First Presbyterian Church of the city yesterday and a crusade against brutality is projected. The officers of the organization are: President, Mrs. W. E. Hall; secretary, Mrs. Don Hamilton; treasurer, Mrs. George W. Lawrence. A ways and means committee and vice tresidents were elected from the wards of the city.

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swille, Fla., leaves Union Station daily as
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St. Louis Woman Procures Divorce. REPUBLIC SPECIAL Boston, Mass., Jan. 21.—Estelia McRae-ame all the way from St. Louis to prose-ute her sult for divorce from Kenneth Mc-kae, and was gratued a decree by Chief Justice Mason to-day. They were married n Dallas. Tex., twelve years ago, coming to 1 to 10-s.

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VISITORS AT ST. LOUIS HOTELS.

-F. L. Parker of Westfield, Mass., is egistered at the Planters. -B. F. Lawrence of Omaha, Neb., spent yesterday at the Southern. -C. S. Davis of Toledo, O., is registered at the New St. James. -Ben F. Brown of Memphis, Tenn., has ome at the Laclede. -S. C. Galbraith of Philadelphia, Pa., 48 guest at the Lindell. -Cliff E. Hawkins of Kansas City, Mo., registered at the St. Nicholas. -Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Perrins of Sedalia, -Walyer G. Henderson of New Orleans a., was at the Moser yesterday. H. W. Seaman of Clinton, Ia., is a guest the Planters. -Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hasty of Paragould, Ark., are at the Southern. -Mrs. F. Fowler of Vincennes, Ind., is a est at the New St. James. -Mrs. -F. A. Garitson of San Diego, Cal., has ome at the Laclede. -J. W. Brown of Roswell, N. M., spent

yesterohy at the Lindell.

-J. A. Lutz, Jr., of Chicago, Ill., is on the guest list at the St. Nicholas.

-George L. Matthews of South Bend, Ind., was at the Moser yesterday.

-Mr. and Mrs. Samuel K. Johns of Birmingham, Ala., are at Horn's. -C. K. Wadham of Daiton, Mass., is reg-istered at the Planters. -F. P. Black of Kansas City, Mo., has -E. H. Kelly of Burlington, Ia., is stopping at the New St. James. -Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Harney of Grafton, Neb., are at the Laclede. -I. S. Hurst of San Francisco, Cal., has Hurst of San Francisco, Cal., has at the Lindeil. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Smith of Chicago, , are at the St. Nicholas. -F. M. Baker of Atchison, Kas., is regis-tered at the Planters. -A. G. Gates of Pasadena, Cal., is a guest -Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Walsh of Hot Springs Ark. are at the New St. James. -J. McD. Hopkins of Cleveland, O., spent yesterday at the Laclede. -L. Martine of Louisville, Ky., has rooms at the Lindell.

-W. L. Ernst of Philadelphia, Pa. in s Properly Fitted Glasses

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FUTILE DASH FOR FREEDOM. Alleged Robber Rearrested After

Release by Court. Billings, Mont., Jan. 23.-John Kirby, on of the alleged robbers of the Bridger Bank. was released, as the result of habeas corpus

No sooner had the Judge ordered the pris-oner discharged than Kirby made a dash for the deor. He was not quick enough, for Sheriff Hubbard flums himself on the flecting man and again placed him under ar-rest. Kirby will be taken to Red Lodge to stand trial.

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BUTLER'S PITY FOR ACCUSED EXCUSE FOR EVADING QUERY.

eand Jury Someht Information as to ported to Have Signed.

Grand Jury yesterday to testify in the cass of L. J. Martin, charged with passing ferged check for \$10 on Henry Sheer at Eighteenth and Market streets, to which

latter's name was signed. The check was presented at the Bank of Commerce. The teller at once noticed that Butler was spelled with two t's. Martin was

Butler was spelled with two t's. Martin was arrested and the case came up before the Grand Jury yseterday. Butler was called into the Grand Jury room and the check was shown to him.

"Is that your signature?" asked Assistant Atterney Hamock.

"I dien't write it, 'replied Butler, 'but others have authority to sign checks for ms. My bookkeeper and my sons may sign my name to checks when they desire. They might have written it."

Mr. Hamock was not satisfied with Butler's replies, and reparted to Circuit Attorney Folk. Butler was taken before Judge Ryan, who advised him to answer the questions. He went back to the Grand Jury room and is supposed to have satisfied Mr. Hancock.

When he came out he said: "I don't usu-Mancock. When he came out he said: "I don't usually spell my name with two t's, and n lither do my sons or bookkeeper, but I didn't want to hurt the young fellow."

PRESIDENT OF REICHSTAG

Refusal to Permit Discussion of Em peror William's Letters Creates a Storm of Disapproval.

Berlin, Jan. 22.-Count von Ballestrem has resigned the presidency of the Relchstag in consequence of disapproval of his attitude during the attempt, January 29, of Heri Volmer, Socialist, to raise a debate in the house on the charges brought against the

late Herr Krupp, and on Emperor William's letters and speeches on the subject. The President at the time declined to permit the discussion on the ground that it was out of order to discuss a private person was out of order to discuss a private person while debating the budget.

His remarks called forth violent protests from the Socialists, who asserted that he was violating the rights of the Reichstag.

Even the organs of Count von Bellestrem's own part, the Center, condemned his ruling as partial and unjust, and it is said also that Count von Buelow, the Chancellor, was prepared to reply to Herr Vollmar, expecting the Socialists would be allowed to speak.

The Socialists, who have been making an effective agitation against the ruling of Count von Bellestrem, held thirty-one meetings in Berlin last night to protest against his action.

MAY TAKE UP DENNIS'S CASE. Grand Jury to Investigate Brooks Commission Company.

Circuit Attorney Folk yesterday reminded the Grand Jury that Judge Elmer B. Adams of the United States District Court had stated in his instructions to a jury that the State courts should investigate the business methods of the Brooks Commission Company.

While Mr. Folk would not discuss the probable outcome of the matter, it is believed that the Grand Jury will take up the investigation as suggested by J dige Adams. The Brooks Commission Company, it is charged, was operated under the direction of Major Hugh C. Dennis. He was charged with violating the postal laws in conducting his business. Judge Adams sustained the defense's motion for an instruction to the jury to acquit the defendant when the case came up for trial Monday, and at that time said he thought the business methods afforded excase for the State authorities to take up the case.

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FATALITIES AMONG COUNSEL Macon County Case Continued Be cause of Deaths.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. REFULIC SPECIAL.

Macon, Mo., Jan. 22.—An important Macon
County case is hanging fire in the courts
due to a singular fatality among counsel for
plaintiffs. Lather G. Tracy, Jr., of Macon
County, and other heirs of Luther Tracy,
Sr., are suling for their alleged title to a
large amount of business, residence and
farm property in and near Macon, left by
the elder Tracy. Mrs. Bettle Roberts, wife
of former Probate Judge Roberts, Mrs. Ann
Wardell and others of this city are defendants.

ants.

Major R. W. Brisiow and Probate Judge Woodson of Monroe County were the plaintiff's attorneys. The case was set for trial at the January term of the Circuit Court, but was continued because of the recent death of Judge Woodson.

Arrangements were being pushed to get ready for trial again by the defendants, but their attorneys were notified this week of the sudden death of Major Bristow, which leaves the plaintiffs at present without counsel.

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CUBLIN'S MAYOR RE-CLECTED He Opposes Giving Reception to

King Edward Dublin, Jan. 23.—Timothy Harrington, M. P., was to-day re-elected Lord Mayor of Dublin for the third successive time.

How King Edward should be received by the corporation of Dublin in the event of a royal visit to this city was one of the issues of the campaign. Mr. Harrington opposed a reception of the King and Mr. Dowd promised to be guided in the matter by the opinion of the Municipal Council.

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Jefferson Club Band Officers At the meeting of the Jefferson Club Band the following officers were installed: Civil officers, M.-F. O'Malley; president, J. B. Lydon, vice president, J. J. Ward; Secretary, J. McGrath; Sergeant-at-arms, V. McCormack; treasurer; military officers; F. B. Higgins, captain; M. F. O'Malley, Lieutenant captain; J. B. Lydon, first sergeant; W. F. Shechan, Second sergeant; J. Vshy, quartermaster.

WOMEN TRAMPLED BY MEN IN PANIC 2

Five Hundred Employes of New York Cigar Factory Are Terrified by Fire.

THREE DEAD FROM INJURIES.

Girls Pushed From Fire Escapes by Frantic Masculine Workers in Their Mad Efforts to Save Themselves.

New York, Jan. 23.-Three women were iled and five women and one man were severely injured in a pante in Leopeld, Miler & Sons' elgar factory on Cresby street o-day as a result of a fire in an adjoining uilding. The dead: JENNIE MESSING.

FANNIE KORSTBERG.

MRS. MARY SPARBERA The flames from the burning building beat gainst the walls of the eigar factory, causng a panic among the 500 men, women and oys at work.

There was a wild rush for the fire escapes at the front and rear ends of the building, in which the weaker were erushed and trampled by the stronger.

The men did not hesitate to push the women aside, and when they reached the second story, instead of waiting for the ind-

ders to be calsed, pushed the women off to the ground, about fifteen feet, and leaped themselves. In this way many women were more or less injured. The worst scenes, however, were on the statiways, by which crowds of punicitieken employes tried to escape from the halfding. The men shrieked as if mad, and, mocking the women down, trampled them inder foot.

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At the third story there was a blockale, and had it not been for the timely arrival of the pelies, the death list would have been much longer. The officers, climbing over he heads of the crown, reached the turd tory and succeeded, by pushing the men side, in making a passageway for the comen.

women. Other policemen and the Fire Department arrived soon afterwards, and when the building had been cleared, the bodies of the three dead were found. Mrs. Balletti, who was first reported among the killed, received injuries which may result fatally. The 200 employes of the New Idea Pattern Company, in whose factory he fire started, got out in safety, although several were more or less burned. Employes of other firms in the building left the building in order, and then helped in rescuing the women from the cigar factory.

IS FORCED TO RESIGN. BUTLER HAS SUBPOENAED **NEARLY 500 WITNESSES.**

H. B. Hawes, Chief Kiely and Circuit Attorney Folk Are Expected to Testify in Election Contest.

Nearly 500 witnesses have been subpo and by counsel for Congressman James J. Butler to give testimony in the Wagoner-Butler election contest. The taking of depositions for the contestee will end next Tuesday at midnight, and probably on the last two days depositions will be taken before three notaries, before whom Butler will be represented by his counsel, Thomas J. Rowe, A. M. Frumberg, Henry Walsh

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Among the witnesses who are expected to testify to-day are Harry B. Hawes, president of the Board of Police Commissioners; Matthew Kiely, Chief of Police, and John M. Wood and James McCaffery, members of the Board of Election Commissioners; Joseph W. Folk, Circuit Attorney, has also been subpsensed as a witness.

Many of the witnesses who were examined yesterday had either served as Republican election officials or were Republican politicians, principal among the latter being John B. Owens, former member of the Republican City Central Committee.

The testimony derived from Owens was along the lines bearing upon the factional fights which prevailed within the Republican party prior and up to the present election. In the course of his examination Owens was questioned regarding his career, both as a politician and as a citizen.

Luther A. Fuller, who is connected with the Pacific Express Company, was placed upon the stand to testify regarding certain matters with which Owens was connected, years ago, but the witness declined to answer any of these questions

During the examination of Owens the attorneys for both sides engaged in an exciting tilt, the lie was passed, but the coolness of Attorney Rowe probably avoided any further difficulty.

John A. Gilliam, who was attorney for the members of the Republican City Central Committee, was also placed upon the stand and required to rehearse the difficulty which arose in the committee at the time the sixteen members were ousted by the minority.

Mr. Gilliam stated that the committee fish was responsible for much bad feeling the sixteen members were ousted by the minority.

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Mr. Gilliam stated that the committee fight was responsible for much bad feeling which existed in the party at the time, particularly among the members of the committee, who were deprived of exercising their functions as members of such committee. He would not admit that they ever had been ousted.

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Many other Republicans were examined during the day, the majority of whom served as officials at the last election. All testified that the election was fairly and honestly conducted and some of these declared that they had voted for Butler for Congress for both terms. Those who testified were: John Hubman, E. A. Hildenbrandt, Chas, Laudius, Isaac Fuld, Harry S. Schlueter Sandius, Isaac Fuld, Harry S. Schlueter, John Armhein, August Putting, E. H. Pass George A. Luccking, Charles H. Frank, John N. W. Martin, Phys. Rev. B 1988, 1888, 1888, 1889 John Armhein, August Charles H. Frank, John N. Watkins.

The Democrats who served as officials at the election and testified that the election was conducted legally and honestly were: Louis W. Blanke, Chilton Atkinson, Rob-ert C. Usher, James A. Oge, Clinton A. Chase, F. E. Thleme, Jr., Fred Scheer, John Gröb, Jr., and Albert B. Walker.

COURT REMOVED TEMPORARILY.

Improvements Being Made in Dayton Street Tribunal. The Second District Police Court will b temporarily removed next week, from Jef-ferson avenue and Dayton street, to

Seventh and Carr streets, while improve The court is located on the second floor of the Ninth District Police Station. The planeling of the Station of ments are being made in the courtroom. Tempora. court quarters are being pre

on the second floor of the source, Distr. Police Station building. It is expected that the room will be ready for occupancy as a court by the middle of next week. It will resuite about two or three weeks only to complete the work in the Dayton Street Court. At the end of that time the court will resume its old quarters.

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MINERS OPPOSE THE REMOVAL. Would Not Take Immigration

Headquarters From Pittsburg. Indianapolis, Jan. 23.—When the miners' convention met to-day a resolution against Frank Sargent's plan to remove the immigration headquarters from Pittsburg was concurred in. There was a denunciation of laws that tend to distranchise any citizen, regardless of nationality or color.

The convention adopted a resolution favoring one meeting a month in the leculs to be devoted to the discussion of economic questions. A resolution was offered to change the time of the expiration of the scale year to February 23. BROADWAY AND LUCAS.

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SENATOR HOAR PAYS TRIBUTE TO ROBERT BURNS.

ally Interesting Lecture on the Poet and the Scottish People.

The Republic Bureau. Washington, Jan. 21.—Senator George F. Hoar of Massachusetts delivered a scholariy and exceptionally interesting lecture this evening at All Souls' Church on Robert Burns. Senator Hoar spoke in the highest terms not only of Burns himself, but of all the Scottish people. He compared the Scots onstantly with the people of New England. He spoke of their rugged charac ters and traits in common,

Senator Hoar characterized Robert Burns s the best-known character in history of literature, No educated man, woman or child, where the English language is spoken, he declared, was unfamiliar with the poem of Burns. His fame circles the earth like a parallel of latitude, his words are known by heart by countless thousands. Mr. Hoar spoke of the peculiar fitness of certain languages to convey certain men. certain languages to convey certain mean-ings. No fitter vehicle for the pathos, the emotions, the tender sentiment and sym-pathy, the wit and humor of Burns could pashy, the wit and humor of Burns could possibly be found than the lowland Scotch. The speaker declared that David might have written his pealms, Solomon his proverbs and Aesop his fables in lowhau! Scotch and they could only have been to better for it. He spoke of the vanue of rhythm and said Burns was a muster of it. Burns had a remarkable gift of humor.

Mr. Hoar told of an Englishman who once declared it would take a surgical instrument to get a joke into the head of a Scotchman, when a Frenchman nearby replied: "Yes, an English joke."

Mr. Hoar said that with all due respect to the English humorists of all ages, and with all due respect to a race from which he immediately descended, he must say that if there is one man above another to whom humor does not appeal it is the ordinary Englishman.

"Do not be so sure, my sanctimonlous friend," continued the Senator, "that Purns's life was not a gay life in any sense. God gave him of his choicest gifts. He gave him humor and a tender, pitying heart, in him there dweit in close relationship the fountain of lears.

"God gave him the love of flowers, of possibly be found than the lowland Scotch.

fountain of laughter had tars.

"God gave him the love of flowers, of birds, of home, of father, of mother, of woman and child, and country. Would any one dare to say that the poems which have brought so much cheer to humanity through all these ages brought none to the author? I say Burns was no figure of sorrow or despair, but one of glory and joy.

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God gave him thousands of golden hours,
each one an age in itself. What toil and
hardships would we go through to-day to
think the thoughts of Burns? He was a
noble lover and a noble hater, the hatred
being born of love.

"He loved Scotland, he loved her flowers,
he loved the hills, he loved justice, liberty
and humanity. He hated the things that
were enemies of these. He hated arrogance
and cruelty, self-righteousness, pride of
rank, bigotry, tyranny. That these things
do not exist as much to-day as they did
in the time of Burns is due as much as to
an other influence to his writings."

Senetor Hoar spoke of the great work
Burns had done for Scotland. He said he
would be disloyal, however, to a favorite
author if he did not give Walter Scott a
share in the achievements. The names of
Burns and Scott are eternally linked, he deciared. These two immortal spirits made
of their country another Greece, of their
capital another Athens. They dwell in
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SCRIPPS WILL CASE SETTLED. Interests in Scripps-McRae Papers Shifted.

Detroit Mich., Jan. 23 - Negotiations for a ettlement of the centest in the Circuit Court here over the will of the late George

Court here over the will of the late George H. Scripps have been under way for several days, and to-day a settlement satisfactory to both James E. Scripps and the other heirs was arrived at.

The signature of an heir in California to the agreement is still necessary, however, and for that reason the matter is left open for thirty days.

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MISS TAYLOR WAS READY TO CONDUCT HER CASE. Woman Who Was Discharged From

the War Department for Criti-cising the Government. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Washington, Jan. 23 .- "I want it distinct- ! ly understood that I am ready to proceed in this case," said Rebecca J. Taylor to Chief Justice Bingham of the Supreme

Court of the District this morning, when the

case of Taylor against the Secretary of War was called, It was a novel sight to see the litigant, not a member of the bar, and a woman, ap-pearing in court to prosecute her own cause against the Government in a most

cause against the Government in a most important matter.

The room was crowded with attorneys and others who were present on business.

There were Magistrates, too, who attended because it was known soon after the court convened that Miss Taylor would present her own case.

Miss Taylor was last spring dismissed from a position in the War Department because of her criticism of the President's policy in the Philippines. She soon after applied to the Supreme Court of the District for a writ of mandamus to issue against the Secretary of War to compel him to reinstate her in the position.

She had recursed the services of F. L. Siddons and Adolph Wolf as counsel, and the case has many times been set for a hearing. A few days ago, however, after the case was set for to-day, her counsel withdrew.

For this reason the District Attorney, who

the case was set for to-day, her counsel withdrew.

For this reason the District Attorney, who desired to take part in the argument of the case, did not expect that it would be heard this morning. The Assistant District Atterney made a statement of these facts to the court and asked that the hearing be postponed until Friday next. It was at this stage of the proceedings that Miss Taylor amounced to the court that she was ready to proceed and did not desire a postpone ment of the case.

When Chief Justice Bingham announced that the hearing would be postponed until Friday next. Miss Taylor said that she would be on hand.

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Clinton County Democrats.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Carlyle, Bit. Jan. 22.—William Johnston, chairman of the Democratic Control Committee of Clinton County, has issued a call for a meeting of the committee to this city to-morrow () and the property of asserting factors of deferring to the publish curvention, to be held in Pana, March 3.

Celebrated Silver Wedding. REPUBLIC SPECIAL Albambra, Ill., Jan. 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wetzel celebrated their silver wedding last night. Mrs. Wetzel was Miss Lena Gehrig. They have four calidren and an adouted child.

Portable School Building. A portable building will be installed within a week on the site of the Benton School. King's highway and St. Louis avenue, to accommodate the overflow pupils until the addition to the school, voted by the Board of Education, can be finished.



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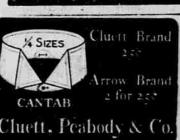
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A class of Mary Institute girls, under the escort of two of their teachers, Miss Barbara Caushand and Miss Irene Pettit, invaded the grim old United States District Court yesterday morning. For nearly 4n hour they watched and listened to the proceedings in the case on trial, and their presence lent an air of lightness and grace to the usually heavy and severely dignified courtroom and disselled much of the district. recedings in the case on trial, and their presence lent an air of lightness and grace to the usually heavy and severely dignified countroom, and dispelled much of the gloom within its somber walls.

There were thirty-six girls in the party which United States Marshal Morsey was unexpectedly called upon to entertain. They were provided with chafts within the railing, in the space reserved for attorneys. Among the party were Miss Louise Thayer, daughter of Judge Ames Thayer; Miss Eryson, daughter of Doctor Bryson and niece of Judge Thayer, and Miss Krum, daughter of Judge Chester H. Krum, who is counsel for the defendants on trial, and Miss Lee, a daughter of a member of the Federal Grand Jury.

The case on trial was that of the Wernsea and others, composing the Lincoln Mountain Gold Mining and Milling Company, charged with fraudulent use of the mails in promoting an alleged "wildcat" mining venture. Most of the testimony was given by as-sayers and mining experts from the company three colorede, whe were examined as to the quality of the ore and the expense of reducing or milling it. There are many more witnesses to be examined and it is not probable the case will be concluded to-day.

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